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PROJECT STATUS REPORT					1. REPORTING PERIOD		
					1-31 October 1954		
2. CRYPTONYM		3. DIVISION OR BRANCH		4. COUNTRY		5. APPROVAL	
A. PROJECT	B. SUB-PROJECT			TARGET	BASE	ORIGINAL	DATE
OBLIVIOUS		SE/1		Albania		ADFC	22 June 1954
						DDP	16 July 1954
6. NAME OF CASE OFFICER		ROOM NO.	EXTENSION	SIGNATURE OF CASE OFFICER			
C		1313 J	672				
7. TYPE OF PROJECT		PP	PM	FI			
8. PERSONNEL		PROJ. T/O POSITIONS		9. FUNDS FOR CURRENT FISCAL YEAR			
STAFF AGENTS				A. CURRENT PROJ. CEIL.	B. CUM. ALLOTMENT	C. EST. CUM. OBLIGATIONS	
CONTRACT PERSONNEL				C	J	J	J

8. Personnel: Project OBLIVIOUS is handled by Headquarters and personnel. Only members of the NCFA are paid out of OBLIVIOUS funds and they are neither staff agents nor contract personnel.

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a. Action Reported by Field

1. C, Chief of the Albanian Section in Athens, went to Rome on 22 October for discussions with members of the National Committee for a Free Albania there. The primary purpose of the visit was to ascertain how the Committee members were likely to vote in the election of NCFA officers scheduled to take place between 15 November and 5 December, and, if necessary, to influence the Committee to reelect Mr. Hasan Dosti as president of the NCFA. C reported that it appeared that Mr. Dosti would be reelected although he found some anti-Dosti feeling. It is believed the members of the Committee share our opinion that a change of officers at this time would only further confuse and disrupt the Committee and the Albanian emigration.

2. Members of the SE Division held several meetings with Mr. Dosti during October to discuss routine Committee business. Mr. Dosti reported that the Committee newspaper Shqipëria was published on schedule in October.

3. Representations made to the State Department to delay granting visas to Messrs. Abas Ermenje and Vasil Andoni, leaders of the newly-formed National Democratic Committee for a Free Albania (NDCFA), to prevent their attendance at the International Peasants' Union Congress in the U. S. in early October were successful. The NDCFA was represented only by little-known members who are resident in the U. S.

4. Ex-King Zog was requested to advise his followers to support Dosti in the forthcoming elections. In reply Zog stated he had taken action which he believed would be effective in nullifying the NDCFA. In addition, Zog requested assistance in clearing up his affairs with the Egyptian authorities. C was authorized to take any action they thought appropriate in Zog's behalf.

b. Pending Action

A decision by the Free Europe Committee on whether it will agree to the proposal that it take over the responsibility for the NCFA as a political body.

c. Security Factors

No new information.

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ITEM NO.	CAPTION OR SUB-CAPTION	INSTRUCTIONS
1	Reporting Period	Give month and calendar year during which information in report was received at Headquarters.
2	Cryptonym	Do not show cryptonym until formal approval of its project.
7	Type of Project	Check box in accordance with budget designation in operational program.
8	Personnel	"Contract Personnel" means those persons employed by direct contract through the Special Contracting Officer having no career rights and who are not necessarily compensated in accordance with Civil Service scales, and whose duties are often short-term and not subject to control.
10		<p>In reporting sub-items in Item 10, use letters and subheadings, as "b. <u>Pending Action</u>: . . ."</p> <p>NOTE: When actual PP or PM actions have ceased, omit all subheadings. But continue to report until after project is fully terminated at Headquarters, substituting a running account of the main aspects of termination proceedings for the usual entries in Item 10.</p> <p>Whenever space in Item 10 is insufficient to include all relevant entries, supplementary 8x10 1/2" sheets may be used for left-over entries.</p>
a.	Action Reported by Field	<p>If Headquarters has not received any reports of action from the field during the reporting period, make the following entry:</p> <p>"a. <u>Action Reported by Field</u>: None."</p> <p>Report propaganda action by the field on Form 112a.</p> <p>In reporting PM action, or other PP action in the field:</p> <p>(1) Give pseudonym or cryptonym of person, or cryptonym or true name of organization, responsible for the action.</p> <p>(2) Give location (country or smaller), and name or type of each target or target group.</p> <p>NOTE: Enter field action of periodic or routine nature as well as novel or unusual action.</p> <p>Report intelligence collection by project personnel.</p> <p>Whenever a reported action is undertaken as part of a coordinated international program or effort, specify that program or effort.</p>
b.	Pending Action	Non-routine pending project action may be reported here. When nothing unusual is pending, omit this subheading.
c.	Effectiveness	<p>Enter friendly or hostile judgments about project assets made by specifically identified sources external to CIA.</p> <p>Enter judgments about project assets which are explicitly related to reported effects, instances or kinds of project action.</p> <p>When neither are available, omit this subheading.</p>
d.	Security Factors	<p>Enter a current assessment of operational security factors.</p> <p>Whenever unchanged from preceding report, make the entry:</p> <p>"d. <u>Security Factors</u>: No New Information."</p>
e.	Assets Terminated	Report termination of a project asset here on first Project Status Report after information is received in Headquarters. When no terminations are reported by field, omit this subheading.
f.	New Assets	Give location and type of each person or organization named above (or on Form 112a) for the first time as responsible for a PP or PM action. If there are none, omit this subheading.

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PROPAGANDA ACTION REPORTED FROM FIELD

PROJECT CRYPTONYM		SUB-PROJECT CRYPTONYM		DIVISION OR BRANCH		REPORTING PERIOD			
OBVIOUS				SE/1		1-31 October 1954			
ITEM NO.	NAME OF ASSET (AGENT, GROUP OR ORGANIZATION) TAKING ACTION	ACTION	FORM	LANGUAGE	PERIOD & NO. OF ISSUES OR DELIVERIES	QUANTITY OR AUDIENCE	TITLE OF MEDIUM, PRINCIPAL THEMES, AND SUBJECTS	TARGET PERSONS, GROUPS, ORGANIZATIONS	
								NAME &/OR TYPE	LOCATION
1	NCFA	PR, DF	Newspaper	Albanian	n, 1	5	Shqipëria	Albanian emigres	Italy, France, ME, U.S., U.K. Greece

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COLUMNAR HEADING	INSTRUCTIONS																		
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Quantity or Audience	<p>In the case of printed materials, express in thousands of copies per issue, as 2.6 for 2,600.</p> <p>In case of oral propaganda, give attendance or estimated audience figure for each broadcast or delivery, as 5.3 for 5,300.</p>																		
Target Location	Give names of countries, or localities within countries, in which targets are located.																		
Remarks	Any important detail not called for above (e.g., use of an unusual means of dissemination) will be identified here by item.																		
Form as a Whole	When some of information called for in the form has not been reported by field, the symbol 'NR' will be entered in the corresponding column.																		